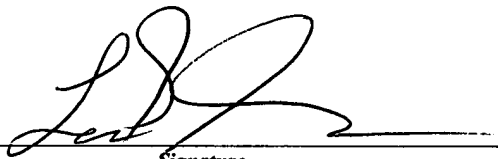



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No. FIS920010258US1 (14899)	
Applicant(s): Jack A. Mandelman, et al.					
Serial No. 10/016,605	Filing Date October 30, 2001	Examiner Scott B. Geyer	Group Art Unit 2829		
Invention: VERTICAL DRAM PUNCHTHROUGH STOP SELF-ALIGNED TO STORAGE TRENCH					
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>				RECEIVED FEB 26 2004	
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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TOTAL CLAIMS	18 -	20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00
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